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- In April 1950, a group of Czechoslovak Army officers was touring all major railroad stations for the purpose of preparing for the installation of transient mess facilities for large numbers of troops.
- In March 1950, the OBZ arrested about 20 soldiers and several officers, including Staff Capt, Milan Charvet of the 38th Infantry Battalion, when it was discovered that these men held their civilian clothes in readiness for desertion in case war should break out.
- Generally speaking, the communization process has hed a bad effect on the Army. The number of opponents to the party is still greater than the number of party fanatics. Because everyone distrust everyone else, and because the men are so strictly controlled and disciplined, it is believed that many would desert at the first opportunity,
- The following is a list of Army officers known to be imprisonned:

Generals

fnu Pribyl

fnu Hrazek

fnu Kveton (April 1950)

Colonels

Otakar Zampach, GSC

Forced Labor camp

Karel Elias, GSC

Josef Dobrovodsky, Arty (1949)

Sentenced to 9 years

It. Colonels

Karel Skocdopole, GSC, (1949)

Ferdinand Hoffmann, GSC

Quido Kotiara, GSC

Vaclav Chaura, GSC

fnu Bycek, Arty, (1950)

Jan Forman, GSC

fnu Kadainka, CSC, (1948)

fmu Koselka, ATC

Frantisek Hynek, GSC, (1949)

fnu Straka, GSC, (1950)

Sentenced to 6 years

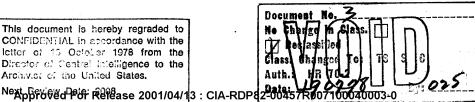
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fnu Uher, Veterinary

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Majors

fru Ing Pohl Rene Cerny (1948) Bory - 20 years

Franticek Zak, GSC, (1950) Jan Masanka, Inf. (1950) Jaroslav Sincl, Arty Vladimir Svojitka, Tank C

15 years

Pankrac

Jan Kestel, Inf Frantisek Cabulka, Remount C

Forced labor camp bory - 25 years Forced labor camp Forced lator camp Mirov

fmu Pavlik finu Jandac

no trial yet

fnu Beren, Inf, (1949)

fnu Kolin

15 or 20 years

Staff Captains

fnu Safrhans, QMC fmu Flekal, AF

Forced labor camp Forced Labor camp

fine Cechura, Inf. (1950) Veclay Minter, Inf Milen Novotny, Inf Jan Koristka, QMC Oldrich Volf, CSC Karel Dus, Inf

Bory Opava - 2 years no trial yet

Zdenek Teply, Inf, (1950) Milan Charva, Inf, (1950) Jan Zizka, Inf

Forced labor damp Forced labor camp

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